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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

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## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity				
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	\$
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	\$
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	\$

## FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE	1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	\$
<u>Large Entity</u> <u>Small Entity</u>	1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting Publication of SIR prior to Examiner Action	\$
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid	Fee Paid	Requesting Publication of SIR after Examiner Action	\$
1001 750	2001 375	Utility filing fee	\$	1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month
1002 330	2002 165	Design filing fee	\$	1252 410	2252 205	Extension for reply within second month
1003 520	2003 260	Plant filing fee	\$	1253 930	2253 465	Extension for reply within third month
1004 750	2004 375	Reissue filing fee	\$	1254 1,450	2254 725	Extension for reply within fourth month
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee	\$	1255 1,970	2255 985	Extension for reply within fifth month
SUBTOTAL (1)		\$0	1401	320	2401 160	Notice of Appeal

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY/ REISSUE	Fee Paid	1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	\$	
Extra Fee from Claims below	Total Claims / / -20** = / / x / / =	\$	1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	\$

Independent Claims / / - 3** = / / x / 84 / =	\$84	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	\$
Multiple dependent / / x / / =	\$	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	\$

<u>Large Entity</u> <u>Small Entity</u>	1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	\$		
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid	Fee Paid	10 advance copies Utility issue fee (or reissue)	\$		
1202 18 2202 9	Claims in excess of 20	1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	\$	
1201 84 2201 42	Independent claims in excess of 3	1503	630	2503	315	Plant issue fee	\$	
1203 280 2203 140	Multiple dependent claim if not paid	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	\$	
1204 84 2204 42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	\$	
1205 18 2205 9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	\$	
SUBTOTAL (2)		\$84	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$

SUBMITTED BY:	Reg. No. 50,846	1809	750	2809	375	Filing a submission after final rejection(37 CFR 1.129(a))	\$
SIGNATURE		1810	750	2810	375	For each add'l invention to be examined(37 CFR 1.129(b))	\$

DATE: August 19, 2003	Telephone: (716) 848-1430	1801	750	2801	375	Request For Continued Examination (RCE)	\$
		1802	900	1802	900	Request for Expedited Examination of a design application	\$

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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